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Wednesday
MAY 30th.

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M. M. KNIGHT

IT'S TIME TO GET WELL.

All Nature Takes a New Start—New Sap Runs in the Trees and New Blood Courses Through the Veins—In Spring and Early Summer Take Paine's Celery Compound, the One Remedy That Cures.

Everything is upward striving. 'Tis as easy now for the heart to be true As for fields to be green or skies to be blue; 'Tis the proper way of living.

All animate nature feels the touch of spring. Nature has her great spring cleaning days. The birds get new plumage, the fish put on their fresh, glistening, scaly armor, new streams of fresh water start from the ground; there are new buds and livelier sap, and in the human body the heart throbs with fuller, stronger beats. It is a season of great changes.

At no time during the year is the body so inclined to get rid of old, diseased conditions, chronic sickness, and deep-seated disorders of the vital organs.

It is for these reasons that Paine's celery compound, the most famous nerve regulator

and blood purifier in the world, has acquired the name of the great spring medicine. There is not a single village in the country large enough to boast its regular physician or drug store where Paine's celery compound is not being more largely used this month than any other remedy. It is known wherever progress and enlightenment have pushed the railroad or the newspaper.

Paine's celery compound is the very utmost the medical research of to-day can do for the exhausted, badly-nourished nerves and thin, impure blood. It goes straight to the cause of the mischief and by many forms of disease resulting from nervous debility and insufficient or vitiated blood. A thousand painful symptoms arise from these two prime causes. Correct the nerves and blood with Paine's celery compound and the entire system must get well; diseases of particular parts disappear, and strength

and health by day, and sound, invigorating sleep by night, return by an unfailing natural process. Paine's celery compound drives out diseases of the liver, heart, and kidneys—by sending pure, sufficient blood, loaded with reconstructive material, through these vital organs, instead of a watery, impure fluid that can neither nourish nor invigorate. Dyspepsia, neuralgia, rheumatism, heart disease, general nervous debility, and loss of strength cannot remain when the nerves and blood receive their daily reinforcement of rich, abundant nourishment from Paine's celery compound.

Most diseases are signs of poverty, either of blood or nerves. Paine's celery compound makes people well because it feeds starved nerves and blood and regulates their functions. Try it and be convinced, as are thousands of men and women and children everywhere.

VERMONT NEWS.

BLAZE AT MIDDLEBURY.

The Large Pulp Mills at Belden's Falls Entirely Destroyed.

The large wood pulp mills of the Belden's Falls Pulp Company of Middlebury, Vt., burned to the ground last week. An immense pile of logs, containing several million feet of lumber, was also destroyed. The entire fire department of Middlebury responded to the call and succeeded in saving the large marble mill of Smith, Brainerd & Co. adjoining. The fire caught on the roof, probably from the smoke stack. The property was owned by Middlebury people and was well insured.

VERMONT PROHIBITIONISTS

In State Convention at Middlebury Place a ticket in the Field.

PROFESSOR H. M. SMITH of Middlebury was chairman of the state prohibition convention, held last Wednesday in Middlebury. Rev. G. L. Story of Bakersfield was elected secretary and Rev. R. L. Bruce of St. Albans chairman of the committee on resolutions. The following state ticket was nominated: For governor, Rodney C. Whittemore of St. Albans; lieutenant governor, Dr. L. W. Hanson of Barre; treasurer, J. F. Leonard of Burlington; secretary of state, H. R. Mack of Hardwick; auditor, F. W. Wheeler of Richford.

VERMONT IN BRIEF.

EDWARD WATKINS of Windsoot, a lad ten years old, was drowned last Sunday while fishing.

The Mansion House at Alburgh Springs was burned to the ground last Saturday morning. It was built in 1833.

The safe in the postoffice at Morrisville was blown open last Friday night, and \$27 in cash and \$60 in stamps was taken.

A young lad named Marks was drowned at Queen City Park, last Sunday, by falling from the steamboat dock into the water.

The publication of a penny evening daily of four pages will be commenced in Burlington in the course of two weeks under the management of Joseph Auld, formerly of the Free Press.

A summer school of instruction for teachers is to be held in Morrisville for two weeks beginning July 30. Eminent lecturers and instructors from other states have been secured.

GEORGE SPAULDING of Farnham, P. Q., William Symms of Phillipsburg, P. Q., and Chester Fleming of Manchester, N. H., were drowned at Swanton last week by the capsizing of a sail boat.

BISHOP HALL preached the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class at Black River Academy, Ludlow, last Sunday morning. His theme was "Christian Socialism and the Brotherhood of Mankind."

JOHN S. WAGER has been bound over to the grand jury at Greenfield, Mass., in the case of \$500 charged with adultery, by testifying away Mrs. Theresa Case of Readsboro from her husband. He was sent to jail in default of bail.

The village corporation of Windsor has voted to accept the gift of Dr. William M. Everts of the use of water from Runnimede Springs, and the water mains will be laid at once. The typhoid epidemic in that village has passed away.

The assignee of the Union Loan and Trust Company of Sioux City, Ia., in which so many Vermonters are interested, states that the liabilities are over \$7,000,000, and that it will pay only five cents on a dollar. Hedge's liabilities are \$2,000,000, and his estate will pay twenty-five cents on a dollar.

The Brunswick Springs hotel was totally destroyed by fire last Thursday, with most of the furniture. Loss, about \$18,000; insurance, \$11,000. The property was owned by the Brunswick Springs Hotel Company, Henry P. Smith manager. It had just been repaired and put in condition for summer business.

Mrs. FANNIE NICHOLS, niece of President Nichols of the National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., died at Orlando, Ind., last Saturday. She was a professional nurse and was sent with other nurses from Hartford to Windsor during the recent typhoid epidemic there. She contracted the disease which caused her death.

PENSIONS have recently been granted to the following Vermonters: Additional—George B. B. Denny, Montpelier; "Original"—John McCann, West Rutland; Horatio A. Abbott, Hartford; Increase—Robert Taylor, Bennington; George H. Kehoe, Montpelier; Reissue—James P. Gray, West Derby; Reissue and increase—Amos S. McGee, Highgate Springs.

The dead body of a young son of Lucius Plumb of Readsboro was found last week hanging in a tree thirty feet from the ground. He had been missing eight days, and ponds had been dragged and woods searched meanwhile. The boy had climbed into the tree, rested on a limb, tied a rope to the limb above his head, arranged a noose and put his head through it and then slid off.

ISAAC HANKS of Bennington, over eighty years old and a wealthy man, is to be tried in Salem, Mass., next month for the murder of his wife last year. He was to have been tried last fall, but on account of his illness the case was postponed. Hanks then disappeared, but was finally discovered living near Syracuse, N. Y., and was arrested last week. His wife, who was the third woman he had married, died at their home in Salem a year ago. Her death, it is alleged, was caused by ill-treatment and starvation.

"The Nightingale's Song," mazurka, caprice, is the title of one of the prettiest compositions that has been recently issued by any music publisher in this country. While it may be called a descriptive piece, there is no sacrificing of the melody to the intended sentiment. The piece is easy, showy and brilliant, and is just the thing for a musical, where music of the more severely classical character is not required. It is composed by Mr. B. S. Barrett, editor of the Burlington *Earth*, who has written a large number of compositions, many of which have attained a great degree of popularity.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

TWENTY THOUSAND

Idle Men in Pennsylvania, Because of the Miners' Strike.

The Edgar Thompson steel works at Bradford, Penn., closed last week because of a lack of iron, coke and coal, throwing 25,000 men out of employment. The blowing out of so many furnaces and the consequent scarcity of iron may cause a shut down of the Carnegie, Pittsburgh and Beaver Falls works, throwing over 20,000 men out of work.

VICTORY FOR BRECKINRIDGE.

The Democratic State Committee of Kentucky Decides in His Favor.

By a decision of John D. Carroll, chairman of the democratic state committee of Kentucky, concerning the eligibility of three committeemen, Breckinridge secured by one vote a majority of the congressional committee which is to decide a primary election, or determine when a convention shall be held. This is a big victory for Breckinridge, as he can choose the members of the committee with official honors secure the nomination.

BUTZ A PREPARATOR.

The Senate Committee Report on His Charges.

The special committee appointed to investigate the charges of attempted bribery of United States senators by Charles W. Butz has submitted its report to the senate. The committee reports that Butz made the attempt at bribery, despite his denial. Senators Hutton and Kyle are exonerated from all blame. There is no evidence, says the report, to show the truth of Mr. Butz's statements to Senator Kyle and to Mr. Eppa Hutton, Jr., that a syndicate of bankers and capitalists had raised a sum of money to be used for the purpose of defeating the pending tariff bill, or that there was an agent of such a syndicate in Washington, or that any money was in Washington for that purpose. Butz denies that he made any such statement or that he had or has any knowledge of the existence of such a syndicate, or that he was the agent or representative of any one. He further denies that he had any money himself.

DOMESTIC IN BRIEF.

Mrs. JULIA WARD HOWE celebrated her seventy-fifth birthday last Sunday.

FARNHAM POST, G. A. R., of New York has been reinstated, and is no longer an "independent veteran association."

AN English syndicate has offered \$70,000 for the Elgin National Watch Company's plant. A majority of the stockholders has voted to sell.

KELLY and his "army" are now in the vicinity of Haverhill, Mo. Disease and rifle among the men and the number is now reduced to about 700. It is freely predicted that they will disband either at St. Louis or before reaching that point.

FOUR armed men held up the cashier of the First National Bank of Longview, Texas, last week, securing \$2,500. A general fight between the robbers and citizens ensued, in which two men were killed and several wounded. Three of the robbers escaped with their booty and apparently unhurt. A posse is in pursuit.

At the mills in the vicinity of St. Louis, except five have shut down for want of coal. These five have supplies of wood that will last from four to ten days. Nearly all the large factories in the city are nearing the end of their supplies of coal, and the steamers are burning wood. Railroads continue to confiscate all the coal in sight.

GOVERNOR WAITE, Colorado's cranky executive, is again on the rampage. In an address delivered last week at Pueblo, he advocated the coinage of Mexican dollars to be used as legal tender in Colorado, and expressed the hope that the ballot would overthrow the domination of Wall Street.

"But," said he, "if the ballot is not successful, the man who will not bare his breast to bullets is not a man." Adjutant General Tarsney said that unless something was done the blood spilled when Casey's men were clubbed in Washington would be the first in a new revolution.

The Missouri Pacific passenger train from the east narrowly escaped going through a bridge near Fuedo, Colo., last Friday morning. On the train was the Rev. T. Dewitt Talmage of Brooklyn, who described the escape. He was awakened by the jerking of the sleeping car, and looking out of the window, found the car off the track in the middle of the bridge, which was slowly sinking beneath the weight of the train. Fortunately, the engine was powerful enough to pull the cars up the incline, but no sooner had the last car gained the solid ground than the structure sank into the water. The high water had undermined the foundation.

GOVERNOR FLOWER has vetoed the bill to prevent the display of foreign flags on public buildings in that state. In his veto message he says: "It is a questionable sort of patriotism which seeks the enactment of such bills as this. It is un-American in spirit and is opposed to the liberal traditions and progressive aims of the American people. It is based on sickly sentimentality and should find no support among broad-minded and sound-bodied Americans. Let us not restrict the display of bunting on gala days. Let us hoist the flags of all nations, but above all others, let the stars and stripes float triumphant, and, in our daily lives, let us be true to the principles which it represents. We shall best symbolize the varied, yet homogeneous, character of our population."

PENSIONS of \$6 to \$12 a month are paid soldiers, rich or poor, with slight disabilities, contracted in or out of service, under Act of June 27, 1890. Those now pensioned under this act can complete any suspended, delayed or rejected claim under the old law, and receive the claims. Widows entitled, without regard to cause of soldier's death, no charge, unless successful. Address, T. J. Deavitt, Montpelier, Vt.

CARDS for posting brooks and grounds for sale at the WATCHMAN office.

FOREIGN NEWS.

INSULT TO OLD GLORY.

Canadian Soldiers Tear Down the Stars and Stripes at St. Thomas.

GEORGE J. WILLIS, United States consul at St. Thomas, Ont., hung out an extra American flag last week Thursday in honor of the queen's birthday, which was torn down by soldiers belonging to the Queen's Rifles of Toronto. The affair was at once reported to the state department at Washington, with the statement that the Dominion government had already instituted a rigid investigation to locate the responsibility on the guilty individuals.

FOREIGN IN BRIEF.

The Parnellites have agreed to vote against the government for the remainder of the session of parliament.

The recent revelations of the existence in Russia of a widespread revolutionary conspiracy include the discovery of a plot to undermine a church and also a manifesto which has been selected for the residence of the czar during the maneuvers in the Smolensk district. The buildings are near the Vinnak and Bresl railway. Several railroad engineers have been arrested on suspicion. One committed suicide.

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Dr. J. F. KINGSLAKE,
Conway, Ark.

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Where it was played five months to crowded houses, will be presented here by the same cast, under the direction of

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Prices \$1.00, 75c and 50c.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

"A STITCH IN TIME" often saves consumption. Down's Elixir used in time saves life.

DR. HENRY BAXTER'S Mandrake Bitters will permanently cure costiveness. Every bottle warranted.

COSTIVENESS is the primary cause of much disease. Dr. Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters will permanently cure costiveness. Every bottle warranted.

THERE is no excuse for any man to appear in society with a grizzly beard since the introduction of Buckingham's Dye, which colors natural brown or black.

MERRILL'S SARSAPARILLA for a sluggish liver is like pouring oil on the troubled waters. For sale by all druggists. See advertisement in another column.

MISS CLAGGETT'S Home and Day School for Girls reopens October 3. College preparatory. Regular and elective courses. Specialists in each. Tenth year. No. 252 Marlborough street, Boston.

In Henry & Johnson's Arnica and Oil Liniment is combined the curative properties of the different oils, with the healing qualities of Arnica. Good for man and animal. Every bottle guaranteed.

Food, when it sours on the stomach, becomes unwholesome and injurious. It poisons the blood, and both mind and body suffer in consequence. What is needed to restore perfect digestion is a dose of two of Ayer's Pills. They never fail to relieve.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

MERRILL'S SARSAPARILLA cures boils, pimples, scaly eruptions, and is the most perfect blood purifier known. See advertisement in another column. For sale by all druggists.

GEORGE A. AINSWORTH, Barre and Williamstown, dealer in pianos, organs and sewing-machines. Competition in quality and prices of goods challenged. Satisfaction guaranteed. Barre headquarters, Forley Chandler's jewelry-store, 75 North Main Street. Correspondence promptly attended to. Inspection of goods cordially invited. N. B.—He sells for \$30 a vibrating shuttle sewing-machine, which the manufacturers guarantee as being "the best that can be made."

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Money is Tight.

And when was it ever otherwise? The oldest man cannot remember. People are grumblers—all grumblers—ministers and laymen complain. Well, then, "times are dull, and money is tight," but haven't you got enough to buy a bottle of SOZODONT, to keep your teeth clean, and mouth sweet, and help you enjoy life?

MONEY may be tight, but it is nothing to SPALDING'S GLUX. That is the tightest thing out.

THE MARKETS.

Boston Produce.

MONDAY, May 28, 1894.

The quotations given below represent prices obtained by receivers for wholesale lots (not jobbers' prices) and are intended to represent actual sales:

BUTTER.	
Creamery, Vermont, extra, #10.....	18 1/2
Creamery, Vermont, extra, #8.....	17 1/2
Creamery, Vermont, extra, #6.....	16 1/2
Creamery, Vermont, extra, #4.....	15 1/2
Creamery, Vermont, extra, #2.....	14 1/2
Dairy, Vt. and N. Y., extra, #10.....	18 1/2
Dairy, Vt. and N. Y., extra, #8.....	17 1/2
Dairy, Vt. and N. Y., extra, #6.....	16 1/2
Dairy, Vt. and N. Y., extra, #4.....	15 1/2
Dairy, Vt. and N. Y., extra, #2.....	14 1/2
Trunk, extra creamery, #10.....	18 1/2
Trunk, extra creamery, #8.....	17 1/2
Trunk, extra creamery, #6.....	16 1/2
Trunk, extra creamery, #4.....	15 1/2
Trunk, extra creamery, #2.....	14 1/2

CHEESE.

New York, extra.....	16 1/2
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New York, extra.....	14 1/2
Vermont, extra.....	18 1/2
Vermont, extra.....	17 1/2
Vermont, extra.....	16 1/2
Vermont, extra.....	15 1/2
Vermont, extra.....	14 1/2

EGGS.

Vermont and N. H., good to choice	12 1/2
Fresh, good to choice fresh #10.....	12 1/2
Western, choice, #10.....	11 1/2

POULTRY.

Chickens, choice, #10.....	25 00
Chickens, common to good.....	20 00
Fowls, extra choice.....	15 00

POTATOES.

Houison Hebrons, per bush.....	80 00
H. Rose and Hebrons, per bush.....	80 00
Vermont, white stock.....	80 00

BEANS.

Mediana, choice hand-picked, #10 bush.....	90 00
Mediana, screened, #10 bush.....	80 00
Mediana, seconds, #10 bush.....	70 00
Pea, choice, #10 bush.....	70 00
Pea, screened, #10 bush.....	70 00
Pea, seconds, #10 bush.....	60 00
Red kidney, #10 bush.....	60 00
Yellow eyes, improved, #10 bush.....	60 00
Yellow eyes, improved seconds, #10 bush.....	60 00

MEATS—FRESH.

Beef, choice, #10.....	7 1/2
Beef, light choice, #10.....	6 1/2
Beef, heavy good, #10.....	6 1/2
Beef, good, #10.....	6 1/2
Beef, light quarters, choice, #10.....	4 1/2
Beef, fore quarters, choice, #10.....	4 1/2
Beef, hind quarters, common, #10.....	4 1/2
Beef, hind quarters, common, #8.....	4 1/2
Lamb, choice, #10.....	5 1/2
Mutton, extra, #10.....	4 1/2
Mutton, common to good, #10.....	4 1/2
Veal, Eastern, choice, #10.....	5 1/2
Veal, common, #10.....	5 1/2

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, Eastern choice, #10 ton.....	12 00
Hay, Eastern choice, #8 ton.....	10 00
Hay, clover and clover mixed, #10 ton.....	10 00
Hay, ordinary, #10 ton.....	10 00
Hay, poor to common, #10 ton.....	10 00
Hay, swamp, #10 ton.....	8 00
Hay, good to prime, #10 ton.....	10 00
Straw, out, #10 ton.....	8 00

MARRIAGES.

In Calais, May 12, by Rev. Orin Davis, Frank R. In Montpelier, Vt., held at Montpelier, in said district, on the 28th day of May, A. D. 1894.

In Barre, May 26, at the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. W. H. Davenport, John W. Roberts of Barre to Sarah H. Davenport, daughter of Rev. W. H. Davenport of Wymouth, Colorado.

DEATHS.

In Montpelier, May 25, Adeline L., wife of F. W. Morse.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

LEVI W. SWAN'S ESTATE. COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Washington, Commissioner to receive, collect and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Levi W. Swan, late of Cabot, in said District, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that within the next three months, to-wit: the 28th day of April, A. D. 1894, is the time limited by said court for the presentation of their claims to me for examination and allowance. Dated at Calais, Me., the 28th day of May, A. D. 1894. C. T. ADAMS, Commissioner.

IRVING GRANBY'S ESTATE. STATE OF VERMONT, Washington District, ss. In Probate Court, held at Montpelier, in said District, on the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1894. Norman N. Robinson, Administrator, of the estate of Irving Granby, deceased, presents his administration account for examination and allowance, and makes application for a decree of distribution and partition of the estate of said deceased. Whereupon it is ordered by said court that said account and said application be referred to a session thereof, to be held at the Probate Office in said